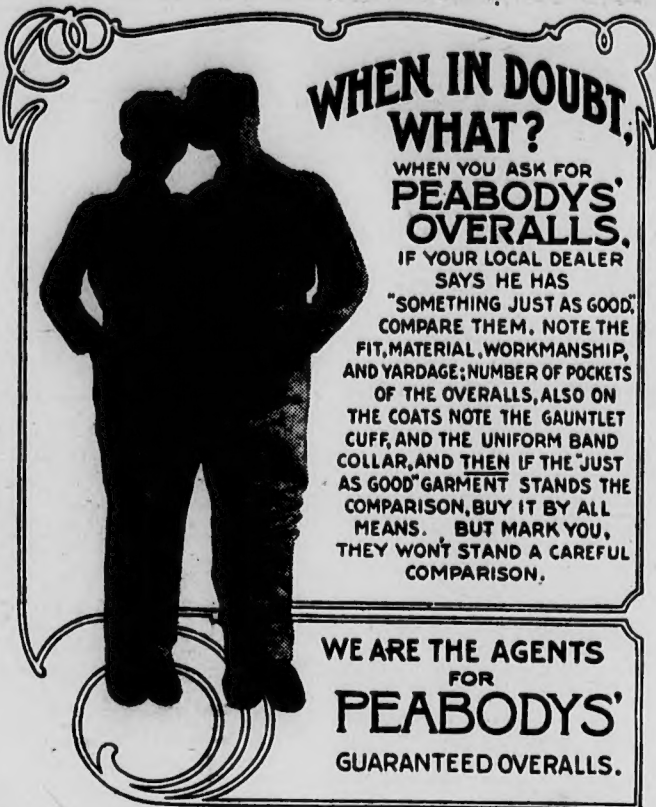


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Didsbury a Busy Town

Since our last report of building operations Didsbury has taken on a lively aspect with the employment of a large number of men and prospects are that it will be busier than ever in a very short time.

The new hotel, which will cost approximately \$60,000 when completed, is now well under way the concrete foundations being nearly completed.

Work was commenced on A. G. Studer's, J. V. Berscht's, W. G. Liesemer's and Stark & Son's buildings within the last few days.

Geo. Hong Foo's fine building is nearly completed and he expects to occupy it in about ten days; H. W. Chambers and the Great West Saddlery Co's establishments are well under way. Sinclair Bro's fine concrete building is almost completed.

There have been thirteen building permits issued so far and it is likely that within a few days there will be others. The value of the buildings that are being erected at present is over \$100,000.

No better comment than the above summary is needed to show the faith that is in the business community that this district is one of the best in Alberta, and through its ~~mined~~ farming operations one of the most substantial, because the business aspect of a town is always a criterion of the country surrounding it.

AROUND THE TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Patterson were visitors at Calgary on Tuesday.

Geo. A. Wriggleworth of the G. B. C. Calgary, has accepted a position as book-keeper with a large firm in Snannavon, Sask.

A baseball meeting will be held in the Fire Hall on Friday evening, May 15th, at 8 o'clock. All those interested kindly attend.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Eph. Gabel will be glad to hear that their little son, Milton, who has been very ill, is now on the high to recovery.

Clint Reiber, who was the victim of a shooting accident at Belseker a short time ago, is now able to get around a little with the aid of crutches.

After a successful pastorate of three years Rev. J. S. Daum will conduct his farewell service on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Evangelical church.

Dr. Gamble, the noted lecturer on the true Sabbath, will give one of his lectures at Westcott on Sunday night, May 17th, at 7.30. All are cordially invited to attend.

Hall insurance rates set by the Municipal Hall Insurance Board is to be 5 1/2 cents per acre this year. This only applies to Mountain View Municipality in this district.

The new Clover Hill Creamery is now able to handle an unlimited quantity of cream. Prices as follows: 31c. per lb. for butter fat for No. 1 sweet cream, 28c. per lb. of butter fat for No. 1 churning cream.—R. LeBlanc.

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1 1/2 CENTS EACH UP TO MAY 15TH, 1914

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The council will not furnish poison this year.

Those who wish to obtain the bounty must produce the whole tail of each gopher to the following councillors or overseers:

Geo. Metz	H. McLean	O. W. Hembling
M. McLean	H. E. Pearson	J. W. Bridge
J. G. Dougherty	A. A. Dyck	W. Rupp
C. I. Dickau	Harry Gibson	Chas. Deadrich
T. E. Smith	H. Moritz	F. Putzke
W. Ashton	C. Hutton	H. B. Hengstler
J. W. Francis	B. Kosehargo	Sam Cummins
Abe Smalley	D. McCuen	W. E. Flinn
C. O. Herron	Percy Saunders	T. B. Simpson

Those who wish to obtain the 1 1/2 cent bounty must produce the gopher tails to any of the above men not later than the 16th day of May.

BY ORDER OF THE COUNCIL,

J. E. STAUFFER, Secretary

School Report For April

(Continued from last week)

Grade VIII	Comp.	Civics	Arith.	Geom.	Per cte.
Name					
Dan Martin	70	84	75	90	79.7
Verna Wiegand	89	82	45	92	77.
Harold Reiber	90	72	40	78	70.
Ellis Barnes	80	72	50	75	69.2
Bessie Moyle	80	48	50	95	68.2
Fred Osmond	93	68	40	63	66.
Pearl Mortimer	75	56	40	93	66.
Reg. Pirie	96	72	50	44	65.5
Vear Wood	90	62	x	68	55.
Violet Herber	92	48	x	65	51.2
Marjorie Atkins	90	30	x	25	36.2
Walter Gertz	75	60	x	x	33.7

ROOM 3

Grade VI—Hilda Morrison, Thelma Pirie, Ruth Moyle, Arnold Liesemer, Everard Clarke, Marie Chambers, Clara Shaw, Margaret Shaw.

Grade V—Ruby Metzgar, Alastair Watson, Helen Butts, Mae Studer, Maggie Sexsmith, Willie Garner, Neta Dick, Florence Morrison, Harry Atkins, Oscar Gertz, Norman Geib.

Grade IV—Vera Sexsmith, Ethel Wright, Guy Murdock, Bruce Paton, John Herner, Leona Weber, Ernest Clarke, Ethel Mortimer, Leslie Roth James Gateman, Orval Paton, Wilbert Geib. A. E. KERR, Teacher

Mother's Day

A very pretty and impressive ceremony took place on Sunday afternoon last when "Mothers Day" was observed at the Union Sunday School at Knox church. This day, the second Sunday in May, is now being fairly well observed all over the North American continent and the United States senate has just recently passed a law making it a national institution for the U. S.

The services at the local Sunday school was very largely attended by the children and young people and their mothers, with a sprinkling of fathers. The ladies received a white carnation, which is the emblem for mothers on Mother's day, as they entered the church, but the supply of white ran out and red ones were then given out. The Sunday School, led by Mr. H. W. Chambers, the superintendent, recited the lesson for the day after which the other part of the programme was taken up with addresses to those present from Messrs. H. W. Chambers, F. Moyle and H. E. Osmond, all of whom paid tribute to mother and her great work in the world, Mr. Chambers, especially,

bringing out the fact that Didsbury as a whole should be proud of her mothers because they were the foundation of the high standard of morality in the town and evidence of her great care and love could be seen in the well dressed, clean and bright children that were to be seen on our streets every day.

The services then closed with a hymn by the Sunday school which ended a very pleasant and profitable afternoon.

MOTHER'S DAY SERVICES IN KNOX CHURCH

On Sunday evening in Knox church Rev. D. H. Marshall took for his text the 31st chapter of Proverbs, v. 25 to 28. He spoke on mother love and her part in the world and called upon his hearers to let no obstacle stand in the way of showing their appreciation of mother while she is on this earth. He also spoke to the mothers who were present and gave them some very sound advice. The fathers also came in for a little praise, especially the ones who had to take the place of a lost mother and tried to do what was right by the children. Taken altogether Mr. Marshall's sermon was one that appealed strongly to his large con-

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gregation and no doubt will have a good effect on them.

The large choir under the able leadership of Mr. H. Gathercole rendered special music, the anthem "I will sing" being especially good and much appreciated.

Some Business Meeting

The old fashioned Ladies' Aid business meeting given in the Didsbury Opera House on Wednesday night of last week was a decided success in every way. The house was packed to the doors and seating accommodation was at a premium, a better test of the building for its safety could not have been made.

If any person has the idea that there is very little humor in our womankind they should have attended this "business session", and they would have seen that "mere man" has not all the privileges, even if the ladies are of a shy and retiring disposition.

The skit was a laughable one from start to finish, but unfortunately the poor acoustic properties of the hall and the nervousness of some of the ladies made it extremely difficult to hear all that was said, especially towards the back of the house, which broke the continuity of the dialogue and many good points were missed. However, the meeting was a decided success no less than twenty-one ladies attending, and it can be better imagined than described what a glorious time they had. Miss Harpe, a suffragette (see cast of characters) was exceedingly droll and brought down the house with her witticisms, especially with her allusions to some of our well known business places and local celebrities. Mrs. DeLoyd Fitz Hammond and Mrs. Kindly, friends of the hostess from Boston, were also good, especially the former who was strong on "mental food." Mrs. Dale, another militant suffragette, took her part more seriously and gave the men of the audience to understand that women wanted their rights. Mrs. Harris, a deaf member of the organization, was extremely funny in a quiet way, while Mrs. Jones, who was afraid of fits for her young baby was given some good advice by Mrs. Roberts and several other ladies which was also good. After the business part of the meeting was concluded the Ladies Aid spent a social half hour while their hostess provided them with a light lunch. A programme of songs and recitations

was interjected into this portion of the programme and songs by Miss Harpe and Mrs. Kane, (whose cold was so bad that it overcame her when she was advised by Mrs. Scott to try "onions"), a recitation by Mrs. Wise, and a speech by Mrs. Dale were loudly applauded. Miss Harpe sang the song which is given below to the tune of "My Old Kentucky Home" and led the ladies in the chorus with a large old fashioned umbrella:

EMANCIPATION

The day is coming, 'twill be here by and by.

When women shall have their just rights;

Then how the laws of Alberta will fly, And the world be relieved of all its plights.

The men have tramped on the women long enough,

'Tis time she rose in her might, And show the world she is made of too good stuff

To be kept in the background out of sight.

CHO.

Hail Emancipation, when women shall have full sway;

We will let the men use the dish-cloth and the mop,

While the women run the country their own way.

Let the men stay home to mend, and sweep and bake,

'Tis where the slow creatures belong; Their strength will stand the toil and never quake,

While the women lead the world so gaily on.

Government will straighten out its tangles in a week,

With women to tell them what is what;

Joe Stauffer will have to take a way back seat,

And soon find his power gone to pot.

The Town Council then by women will be run,

The School Board will have money then to burn;

Financing the Electric Light—'twill be just only fun,

This poor old burnt up town will surely hum.

E. M. S. (Poet Laureate)

The Didsbury Orchestra under the leadership of Conductor Gathercole was present and rendered several selections in their usual entertaining manner and was much appreciated by the audience.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

President—Mrs Smith, Mrs. D. H. Marshall; Hostess—Mrs. Green, Mrs. P. R. Reed; Guests from Boston—Mrs. De-

Floyd Fitz Hammond, Mrs. H. S. Patterson, Mrs. Kindly, Mrs. J. E. Stauffer; Mrs. Gray, Mrs. W. H. Stark; Mrs. Day, Mrs. A. Brusso; Miss Harpe (a Suffragette), Mrs. A. G. Studer; Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Brules; Mrs. Harris, Mrs. T. Macdonald; Mrs. Kane, Mrs. W. G. Liesemer; Mrs. Growler, Mrs. H. W. Chambers; Mrs. Wise, Mrs. R. Dowdell; Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. H. E. Osmond; Mrs. Hoyt, Mrs. S. R. Wood; Mrs. Lowell, Mrs. J. Pirie; Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Alkene; Mrs. Dale (a Suffragette), Mrs. R. LeBlanc; Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. J. M. Hyemith; Mrs. Black, Mrs. H. D. Booker; Mrs. Bruce, Miss M. Wood; Mrs. Scott, Mrs. H. Sanderman.

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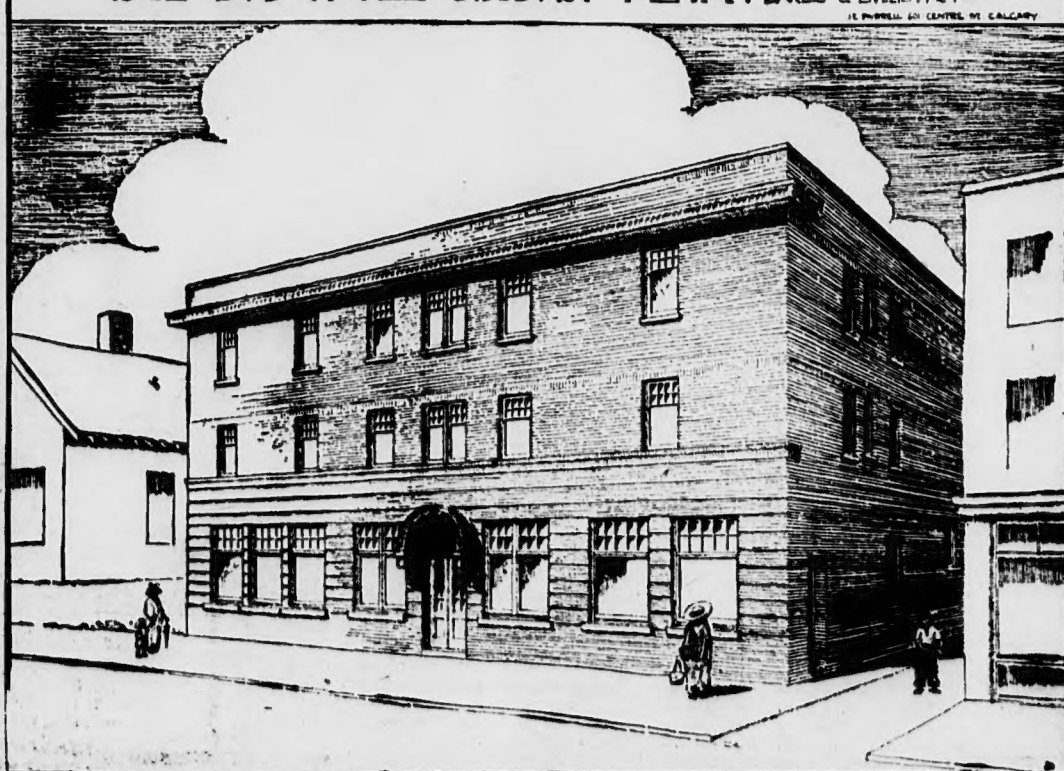
In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3 per acre. Duties—Six months residence in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and 50 acres extra cultivation. The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land after report by Homestead Inspector on application for patent.

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THE WINDOW AT THE WHITE CAT

By Mary Roberts Rinehart

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(Continued)

He wavered for the first time in his recital. He went on more rapidly and without looking at either of us. "I carried, not in the valise, a bundle of letters, five in all, which had been written by Henry Butler to Mr. Fleming, letters that showed what a dupe Butler had been, that he had been negligent, but not criminal; accusing Fleming of having ruined him and demanding certain notes that would have proved it. If Butler could have produced the letters at the time of his trial things would have been different."

"Were you going to sell the letters?" Margery demanded, with quick scorn.

"I intended to, but—I didn't. It was a little too dirty, after all. I met Mrs. Butler for the second time in my life at the gate down there as I came up from the train the night I got here from Plattsburg. She had offered to buy the letters, and I had brought them to sell to her. And then at the last minute I lied. I said I couldn't get them—that they were locked in the Monmouth avenue house. I felt like a cad. She wanted to clear her husband's memory, and I—I well, Mr. Fleming was your father, Margery. I couldn't hurt you like that."

"Do you think Mrs. Butler took your leather bag?" I asked.

"I do not think so. It seems to be the only explanation, but I did not let it out of my hand one moment while we were talking. My hand was cramped from holding it when she gave up in despair at last and went back to the city."

"What did you do with the letters she wanted?"

"I kept them with me that night and the next morning hid them in the secret closet. That was when I dropped my fountain pen!"

"And the pearls?" Margery asked.

"When did you get them, Harry?"

To my surprise his face did not change.

"Two days before I left," he said.

"We were using every method to get money, and your father said to sacrifice them if necessary."

"My father!"

He wheeled on us both.

"Did you think I stole them?" he demanded. And I confess that I was ashamed to say I had thought precisely that.

"Your father gave me nine unmounted pearls to sell," he reiterated.

"I got about a thousand dollars for them—eleven hundred and something I believe."

I think Margery was fairly stunned to learn that her father had married again, that he had been the key-stone in an arch of villainy that, with him gone, was now about to fall and to associate him with so small and mean a thing as the theft of a handful of pearls.

"Then," I said to bring Wardrop back to his story, "you found you had been robbed of the money, and you

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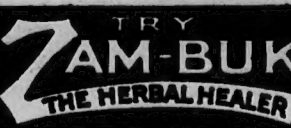
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went in to tell Mr. Fleming. You had some words, didn't you?"

"He thought what you all thought," Wardrop said bitterly. "He accused me of stealing the money. I felt worse than a thief. He was desperate, and I took his revolver from him."

"I came back here to Bellwood, and the first thing I learned was about Miss Jane. When I saw the blood print on the stair rail I thought she was murdered, and I had more than I could stand. I took the letters out of the secret closet before I could show it to you and Hunter, and later I put them in the leather bag I gave you and locked it. You have it, haven't you, Knox?"

I nodded.

"As for that night at the club, I told the truth then, but not all the truth. I suppose I am a coward; but I was afraid to. If you knew Schwartz you would understand."

With the memory of his huge figure and the heavy undershot face that I had seen the night before I could understand very well, knowing Wardrop.

"I went to that room at the White Cat that night because I was afraid not to go. Fleming might kill himself or some one else. I went up the stairs slowly, and I heard no shot. At the door I hesitated, then opened it quietly. The door into the built-in staircase was just closing. It must have taken me only an instant to realize what had happened. Fleming was swaying forward as I caught him. I jumped to the staircase and looked down, but I was too late. The door below had closed. I knew in another minute who had been there and escaped. It was raining, you remember, and Schwartz had forgotten to take his umbrella with his name on the handle."

"Schwartz?"

"Now, do you understand why I was being followed?" he demanded. "I have been under surveillance every minute since that night. There's probably some one hanging around the gate now. Anyhow I was frantic. I saw how it looked for me, and if I had brought Schwartz into it I would have been knifed in forty-eight hours. I hardly remember what I did. I know I ran for a doctor, and I took the umbrella with me and left it in the vestibule of the first house I saw with a doctor's sign. I rang the bell like a crazy man, and then Hunter came along and said to go back; Dr. Gray was at the club."

"That is all I know. I'm not proud of it, Margery, but it might have been worse, and it's the truth. It clears up something, but not all. It doesn't tell where Aunt Jane is or who has the hundred thousand. But it does show who killed your father. And if you know what is good for you, Knox, you will let it go at that. You can't fight the police and the courts single handed. Look how the whole thing was dropped and the most cold blooded kind of murder turned into suicide. Suicide without a weapon! Bah!"

"I am not so sure about Schwartz."

I said thoughtfully. "We haven't yet learned about eleven twenty-two C."

Miss Jane Maitland had been missing for ten days. In that time not one word had come from her.

Some things puzzled me more than ever in the light of Wardrop's story. For the third time I asked myself why Miss Letitia denied the loss of the pearls. There was nothing in what we had learned, either, to tell why Miss Jane had gone away—to ascribe a motive.

How she had gone, in view of Wardrop's story of the cab, was clear. She had gone by street car, walking the three miles to Wynton alone at 2 o'clock in the morning, although she had never stirred around the house at night without a candle and was privately known to sleep with a light when Miss Letitia went to bed first and could not see it through the transom.

The theory I had formed seemed absurd at first, but as I thought it over, its probabilities grew on me. I took dinner at Bellwood and started for town almost immediately after.

Margery had gone to Miss Letitia's room, and Wardrop was pacing up and down the veranda, smoking. He looked dejected and anxious and welcomed my suggestion that he walk

down to the station with me. As we went, a man emerged from the trees across and came slowly after us.

"You see, I am only nominally a free agent," he said morosely. "They will poison me yet. I know too much."

We said little on the way to the train. Just before it came thundering along, however, he spoke again.

"I am going away," Knox. There isn't anything in this political game for me, and the law is too long. I have a chum in Mexico, and he wants me to go down there. There isn't any longer a reason why one part of the earth is better than another. Mexico or Alaska, it's all the same to me."

CHAPTER XIX.

Measure For Measure

I watched Wardrop swing up the path with his head down. I saw the shadowy figure of the other man fall into line behind him. Then I caught the platform of the last car as it passed, and that short ride into town was a triumphal procession, with the wheels beating time and singing, "It's all the same—the same—to me—to me."

I called Burton by telephone. We arranged to meet at a little Chinese restaurant, where at that hour, 9 o'clock, we would be almost alone.

Burton listened attentively to Wardrop's story as I repeated it.

"So Schwartz did it, after all," he said regretfully when I finished. "It's a tame ending. It had all the elements of the unusual, and it resolves itself into an ordinary, everyday man-to-man feud. I'm disappointed. We can't touch Schwartz."

"I thought the Times-Post was hot after him."

"Schwartz bought the Times-Post at 3 o'clock this afternoon," Burton said, with repressed rage. "I'm called off. Tomorrow we run a photograph of Schwartz, his place at Plattsburg, and the next day we eulogize the administration. I'm going down the river on an excursion boat and write up the pig killing contest at the union butchers' picnic."

"How is Mrs. Butler?" I asked.

(To be Continued)

English Girls and Drug Habit

A London weekly says that certain eminent physicians are waging a difficult war against drug taking by young girls at the present time. It seems that a certain young lady recently formed a debating club—at least that is what the parents of her friends were told. In reality the meetings were made for the purpose of experiments in opium and hashish smoking and the taking of certain drugs brought home from India by the brother of the originator of the club. Experimenting, not wisely but too well, some of the girls find themselves only able to tread the social round by keeping up their drug taking, and, but for a maid who betrayed them, might have gone on until it was too late for a cure. Luckily the doctors have every hope of successfully treating the cases.

New Duty

"Mabel, I'm drawn on the grand jury."

"So am I, Gertrude."

"Our responsibilities will be heavy."

"I realize that. What shall we wear?"

Location Stated

Elsie—Mamma, I don't feel well.

Mother—That's bad, dear. Where do you feel worst?

Elsie—In school, mamma.

UPWARD START

After Changing to Postum

Many a talented person is kept back because of the interference of tea or coffee with the nourishment of the body.

This is especially so with those whose nerves are very sensitive, as is often the case with talented persons. There is a simple, easy way to get rid of tea and coffee troubles and a lady's experience along these lines is worth considering. She says:

"Almost from the beginning of the use of coffee it hurt my stomach. By the time I was fifteen I was almost a nervous wreck, nerves all unstrung, no strength to endure the most trivial thing, either work or fun."

"There was scarcely anything I could eat that would agree with me. The little I did eat seemed to give me more trouble than it was worth. I was literally starving; was so weak I could not sit up long at a time."

"It was then a friend brought me a hot cup of Postum. I drank part of it and after an hour I felt as though I had had something to eat—felt strengthened. That was about five years ago, and after continuing Postum in place of coffee and gradually getting stronger, today I can eat and digest anything I want, walk as much as I want. My nerves are steady."

"I believe the first thing that did me any good and gave me an upward start, was Postum, and I use it altogether instead of coffee."

Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont.

Postum now comes in two forms: Regular Postum—must be well boiled, 15c and 25c packages.

Instant Postum—is a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 30c and 50c tins.

The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.

—sold by Grocers.

Half the Rubbing taken out of Scrubbing

Old Dutch Cleanser

DON'T BE WITHOUT IT 10¢

The Writing That Counts

To write at one's ease what other people may read at their ease comes to very little. What I want is the wholesome and well-bottomed contemplations that bring a better order into actual life and enter into men's business with all the turmoil of that business.—Bacon.

Long Ones

"Have a stormy trip over?"

"Yep. Didn't eat a single breakfast. Nothing but coffee and rolls."

"Did the steward furnish the rolls?"

"No, the ship."

Art of Collection

Howard—Every book in my library has the author's autograph.

Coward—How do you manage it?

Howard—I never borrow any other kind.

Do Not Use the Knife

That is a barbarous way of treating corns—dangerous, too. Any corn, bunion or callous can be removed quickly and painlessly by Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Putnam's Corn Extractor, mark the name. Safe, prompt, painless. Sold by druggists. Price 25c.

A Law Suit

"Isn't Deeds, the lawyer, a rather extravagant man?"

"By no means. I've known him to make one suit last for several years."

High Cost of Living

He used to be a spendthrift.

But that came to an end;

For now, being two years married,

He's nothing left to spend.

Knew it Was No Use

Mrs. Clutterbly (dearly)—I suppose, sir, you are going to say it was business that detained you till this hour.

Clutterbly—Quite mistaken, m'dear. I—sure you. Not such a fool! (hic). Soon's I said "bizness," you'd know it wasn't (hic) right off.

Wise mothers who know the virtues of Mother Graves' Worm Expeller always have it at hand, because it proves its value.

The bored youth turned to his dinner partner with a yawn.

"Who is that strange looking man over there who stares at me so much?" he drawled.

"Oh, that's Professor Jenkins," she replied, "the famous expert on insanity."

A good colored brother had been approached by a fellow townsman and asked the opinion of woman suffrage.

"Uncle Gabriel, are you in favor of votes for women?"

"Does you all mean, suh, dat me ar' Liza hof vote?"

"Yes."

"Ah suh! does savah it, den. Dat would be \$4."

One Hope

"William, are you going to get matters so arranged that we can afford to have an automobile?"

"I don't expect that we can ever afford one, but I hope to get matters so arranged within a few months that we can have one."—Chicago Record-Herald.

FOR WOMEN ONLY

Do You Feel This Way?

Backache or Headache
Dragging Down Sensations
Nervous—Drains—
Tenderness Low Down.

It is because of some derangement or disease distinctly feminine. Write Dr. R. V. Pierce's Faculty at Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N.Y.

Consultation is free and advice is strictly in confidence.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription

restores the health and spirits and removes those painful symptoms mentioned above. It has been sold by druggists for over 40 years, in solid form, at 61¢ per bottle, giving general satisfaction. It can now be had in tablet form, so marked by R. V. Pierce, M.D.

[Sold by Medicines Dealers or by mail on receipt of 50¢ in stamps]

ROMANCE OF THE RIDERS OF THE PLAINS

A REPUTATION FOR FEARLESSNESS AND PERSEVERANCE IN THE EXECUTION OF DUTY

In Transforming the Western Plains From a Hunting Ground to a Farming Country, No Small Part Has Been Played by the Royal North-West Mounted Police.

It has taken but 25 years to transform Western Canada from the hunting ground of the Indian to a farming country, with large centres of population, controlled by the white race. In this march of progress the Royal North-West Mounted Police, or the "Scarlet Riders of the Plains," as they have become known in fictional terms, have exercised a guiding hand. Prior to the organization of this force the traders, trappers, half-breeds and Indians were a law unto themselves, according to the report presented by Col. Ross, prior to the organization of the force. Lawlessness and disorder rapidly gave way before the mounted police, who soon acquired a name for fearlessness and perseverance in the execution of their duty.

The activities of the force extended from the western limits of Ontario to the Pacific Ocean. Their influence was even felt in the Arctic regions when occasion demanded it. Today regular forces exist in each of the western provinces and in the Arctic circles, and Eskimo, Indian and white man alike respect the arm of the law as represented in the mounted police. The various costumes shown in the photo taken at headquarters at Regina and reproduced herewith, show the various uniforms in use from the Arctic Circle down to the prairies.

One instance might be cited to show the respect of the Indian for the police. A tribe of Indians on the war-path broke from the reserve at Fort Swan River and crossed the international boundary into the States. They were rounded up by a United States troop of cavalry and brought back to the boundary for delivery to the mounted police. One red coat was on hand to greet the cavalry troop and their prisoners, who numbered over 50. When the American officer was dubious about handing the Indians over the solitary Mounted—who was none other than Sergeant Martin of Regina—he was promptly given a receipt, and the Indians were brought on to Fort Qu'Appelle by this officer, single-handed. It fell to the lot of A. Stewart, now of Regina, then a sergeant-major, to escort, lone-handed, the Indians from Fort Qu'Appelle to their reserve, a distance of 125 miles.

While such events as these are covered by brief reports, shrouded in modesty, the details sometimes come to light. Another instance worthy of mention is that in which Sergeant Gayne, some 20 years ago, was despatched to arrest an Indian on a reserve near Fort Qu'Appelle. Despite the fact that the Indian had a bad reputation and was located among his friends, this officer never swerved from the path of duty. When passing a bluff near the reserve Gayne noticed the muzzle of a gun pointing menacingly at him from some bushes. He turned his horse to one side, and was just seeking cover when the gun barked. The shot went wild, but the officer was quick to return the fire. His aim was true for he wounded the Indian, captured him and returned to headquarters where a sentence of five years was meted out to the offender.

Tales of long journeys occupying weeks and perhaps months occasionally come to light, such as was revealed in the loss of the northern patrol, of which Inspector Fitzgerald had charge.

In the early days horse-stealing in Western Canada was one of the worst offences known to the law. Professional bad men thought nothing of rustling off cattle and horses. As the activities of the mounted police increased these characters gradually gave way.

"Dutch Henry" was one of the most famous of these bad men. He is credited with having been the finest shot in the west a quarter of a century ago. It is claimed that he could toss a 50 cent piece high in the air, and shoot it without fail. While characterized as a "fair haired boy," his nerve and ability to shoot made him a bad man of the worst type.

Sergt. Major Stewart of Regina, in a modest way, described recently, how he and a United States marshal captured this noted outlaw about 25 years ago. The chase occupied over three weeks, "and we didn't even have a fight," said Mr. Stewart, "as he had lost his rifle and six-shooter when his tent had been burned down."

Numerous other instances of the nerve and perseverance required to maintain order in the early days, might be cited if space would permit.

Will Visit Alberta

The Duke of Sutherland, who succeeded to his father's estates on the latter's death about a year ago, will visit the Sutherland colony near Brooks this summer. This will be the first visit of the new duke to his estates in the west, and the town will give him a reception.

P. Burns' Increased Stock

The capital stock of P. Burns and Co., Limited, of Calgary, has been increased under federal letters patent from some \$3,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

PUSH REFORM IN THE CONGO

Belgian Authorities Respond to the Demand of King Albert in Correcting Abuses

Reforms in the Congo which were urged by King Albert in his address to parliament are being put into effect gradually, and the prediction is made that the colony in Africa soon will cease to be regarded as a burden to Belgium, or as a source of criticism from the powers, as was the case under the late King Leopold.

The large deficits recorded each year since the Congo was incorporated by Belgium have made financial help one of the first needs. The government plans to grant this by endorsement of all of the past and future debts of the Congo. It is also proposed to grant the colony a greater administrative autonomy.

The colonial government is to be transferred to Boma, so as to enable the governor to receive the various district presidents and to permit him to frame adequate laws, inspired by real necessities of each district. It will also make possible the institution of a regular yearly budget which does not now exist.

Another reform is the reorganization of judicial power, modifying it so as to give certain colonial agents police power, such as exists in certain British colonies.

FLOUR FOR THE ORIENT

Western Flour Mills Are Increasing Shipments to Asiatic Centres

The mills in Medicine Hat, Calgary and Lethbridge in Alberta are engaged in supplying heavily the Oriental flour trade. The Ogilvie mill at Medicine Hat shipped a hundred thousand sacks and the Medicine Hat Milling Co. 29,000 sacks, each of which weighed 49 pounds. The Ellison Milling Company of Lethbridge is the largest exporter of flour to Japan and China, with the Medicine Hat mill a close second. The Western Milling Company of Calgary and the Robin Hood Mills of Calgary and Moose Jaw are also very large exporters to the Orient.

Canada's exports of flour to Germany have more than doubled during the past six years. In 1908 the amount exported was 1,962,740 barrels, valued at \$5,500,000. For the past fiscal year the exports amounted to 4,478,000 barrels, valued at nearly \$20,000,000.

The finishing touches are being put on the new annex to Canadian Pacific Railway Elevator D at Fort William. A large annex will also be built to the Grand Trunk Pacific elevator this year. The Stewart Company of Chicago have the contracts in both cases.

Old British Warships Sold by Auction

Four superannuated British warships, famous in their day, were sold by auction recently to the highest bidder. The most notable was the battleship Renown, which had several claims upon the public interest. For five or six years she has played the unheroic role of training ship for stokers at Portsmouth, but when in 1895 the Renown was first commissioned she proudly ranked not only as the most beautiful ironclad afloat, but also as the fastest vessel of the British fleet, being capable of 18½ knots. The Renown also holds a unique position as the only modern British battleship sent to the North American station which she left for the Mediterranean when carrying Fisher's flag. The Renown was indeed the favorite ship of the father of the dreadnoughts, and Lord Fisher cherished a silver model of her, a gift from officers who served under him. The Renown was also the vessel in which the present King and Queen made their journey to India. At the auction, she realized £339,000 (\$195,000).

The other ships sold were the Resolution, which brought £35,650; the Ferte, which realized £18,500; and the Medea, which was sold for £10,375. The Scylla was also offered, but the bids did not reach the reserve, the best offer being £11,800.

NO WIRELESS FOR THE ARCTIC REGIONS

DEPARTMENT OF NAVAL SERVICE DOES NOT FAVOR PROPOSAL OF STEFANSSON

Operation of Wireless Stations in the Far North Not Considered to be Practicable—Port Nelson Station Now Reported to be Working Well.

The department of the naval service, which has control of the wireless telegraph system in Canada, is not inclined to give very much encouragement to the proposal made by Explorer Stefansson for the establishment of a wireless system in the Arctic regions. It will be remembered that Mr. Stefansson in a recent communication suggested that a government wireless station should be erected on Herschel Island and that if such station were now there communication might be established with the missing Karluk. It was pointed out by the department officials that while it would, of course, be possible to establish wireless stations in the far north, their operation would not be practicable. Herschel Island is now some 2,000 miles away from the next nearest wireless station, and with ranges of mountains intervening the range of operation of each station would be comparatively small. Moreover, the small sized vessels such as the Karluk, which go to the Arctic, have a wireless range of only about 100 miles.

With coastal stations or with the big and expensive stations which have been erected at Port Nelson, The Pas, etc., the government is now getting exceedingly satisfactory results. Communication by wireless from the Pacific coast station at Esquimaux is now being had almost daily with Honolulu, and there have been days when the Canadian station has been in touch clear across the Pacific with Japan. The station at Port Nelson which has just recently been erected is now working remarkably well. Communication between Port Arthur and Port Nelson is said to be comparatively easy during the night when the atmospheric conditions are favorable. Messages are also being picked up at Port Nelson from the Atlantic.

It is interesting to note that the station at Port Nelson was erected this winter under conditions which severely tried the endurance and the heroism of the men engaged in the work. The steel towers are 200 feet high and on the top of these the men had to work in temperatures ranging from 20 to 30 degrees below zero.

The government contemplates the erection of three other wireless stations in Hudson Bay and Straits so as to provide aids to navigation from the Atlantic to Port Nelson. One of these stations will be erected at Mancel Island near the western entrance to Hudson Straits. There will be a station at Ash Inlet in the Straits and one on the Button Islands at the eastern entrance of the Straits.

The Polson system for trans-Atlantic wireless communication under agreement with the Imperial and Canadian governments as to rates will probably not be in operation before next summer.

Cable Rates Lower

Rates from Canada to England by the new arrangement between the Canadian Pacific Telegraph company and the Marconi company, by which messages will be sent from Halifax by wireless via Cape Race, instead of by cable, are announced and show a reduction of from 20 to 30 per cent. in various classes of messages.

Saskatchewan Companies

Twenty-one provincial companies with an aggregate capitalization of \$1,484,500 were incorporated in Saskatchewan during the month ending March 31. New foreign companies registered during the same period number seven, and are capitalized at approximately \$3,893,000.

OF INTEREST TO SETTLERS

Homestead Map is Now Ready for Distribution

The twelfth edition of a publication which should prove of interest to every person following the progress of settlement throughout the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta is now being prepared in the railway lands branch of the department of interior at Ottawa. This recent publication, which is known as the "Homestead" map, shows in a graphic way the land situation up to the beginning of the present year, also the standing of each quarter section throughout the three prairie provinces according to the records of the department on the first of January, 1914. The map has been issued in three separate sheets, one for each province, the Manitoba sheet now being available for distribution, and the additional sheets covering the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta respectively, to follow at an early date.

Nothing conveys quite so forcibly to the eye the rapid manner in which land available for entry is being taken up as this map of many colors, illustrating as it does by a comparatively simple system of coloring the standing of each quarter section at the beginning of the present year.

In addition to the information regarding lands which have been homesteaded or otherwise disposed of the publication contains complete information with respect to Indian reserves, timber berths, grazing leases, post offices, railways, etc., throughout the three provinces.

This latest edition of the Homestead map is being distributed free of charge. A copy of the Manitoba sheet may now be obtained upon application to F. C. C. Lynch, superintendent of railway lands, department of the interior, Ottawa.

A Missionary Hero

Bishop Stringer of the Yukon is one of the most heroic men of the Church of England in Canada. The record of his life bristles with stirring incidents, which read more like a romance than deeds of modern days. In 1892 he became missionary to the Eskimos on Herschel Island, in the Arctic ocean. Here he and Mrs. Stringer worked for years, and here their second child, Herschell, was born. Their lives were often in great danger from the savage Eskimos of those days. When Bishop Bompas died in 1906 Mr. Stringer became his successor. He had been forced to leave Herschell Island owing to failing eyesight, and had taken up his station at White Horse, in the Yukon.

Bishop Stringer has in the Yukon a diocese of 200,000 square miles, and it is necessary for him to be continually on the move from place to place, his principal places are Dawson, White Horse and Carcross. At the latter town a large government school has been built for the Indian children and is in charge of the bishop. Work is carried on among the whites and Indians. Of the latter there are about one thousand and nearly all belong to the Church of England.

Woman Refused License

Mrs. Victor Garnist, who was for twenty years a licensed engineer in Minnesota, applied to take out a license at Regina, desiring to run her husband's traction engine. Because the Saskatchewan law defines persons qualified to become engineers as males over 18 years, she was refused. She says there are many women in the province who would become engineers if they could.

After China Egg Trade

Since the Canadian Pacific railway steamers and the Royal Mail Steam Packet company have been bringing here large shipments of eggs from China, attention has been called to the possibilities of trade development along these lines, and it is suggested that the Canadian Pacific is contemplating putting in refrigerating machinery on its trans-Pacific liners, and make a bid for the business.

URGE BRITISH WOMEN TO COME TO CANADA

SHOULD ENCOURAGE WOMEN OF OLD COUNTRY TO EMIGRATE AS WELL AS MEN

The Bishop of Yukon Says There Are 700,000 or 800,000 More Men Than Women in Canada—Many British Subjects Going to the United States.

The annual meeting of the British Women's Emigration association was held recently at the Mansion house, London. Last year the association dealt with 4,335 applications, of which 361 were from trained nurses, and 257 from teachers. The number of women emigrated was 1,201, of whom 1,062 went to Canada. The association takes only women of good character and capability, and they are sent out in parties under the care of an experienced matron. The association has its own hostel in London and another in British Columbia. Over 16,000 women have travelled under the auspices of the association since its formation in 1881.

The Bishop of Yukon said there were 700,000 or 800,000 more men than women in Canada. If we encouraged our men to go to the overseas Dominions, he said, we should also encourage women to go. There were thousands of aliens flocking to Canada and the problem was to make them British citizens. That problem could be solved, continued the bishop, if they got a sufficient number of women of British origin to go to Canada as servants, as teachers, nurses or wives.

Difficult to Discriminate

Mrs. G. L. Bever said all women were good; but some were good for anything and some were good for nothing. It was difficult to discriminate between those whom it was better to leave at home, and those who had grit and character. They did not send out cooks. They aimed at sending out educated women who were adaptable to new conditions and had resource in meeting difficulties in a new country. Educated women who became clerks and typists and generally had about \$25 between them and starvation, were sometimes ready to go. In the Dominions they were better paid and more comfortably housed, and they had a far larger scope.

Pago Croft said last year 70,000 British subjects went to the United States. That was a heavy loss to the empire. It was a crime that no step was taken in this country to persuade these people to come under the British flag. Hundreds of thousands of citizens of the United States were going to Canada and settling in the middle west. They became good Canadians, but it was difficult for them to become good British subjects, because they knew nothing of the British empire, he said. He wanted them to have British wives, so that their children could be brought up by British mothers with British instincts.

Has Ancient Inca Mummy

T. G. Taylor of Halifax, N.S., and Chill, has brought an Inca mummy, 2,000 years old. Taylor found it several months ago in Chill, where he was superintending the digging of a railroad cut. He will loan it for exhibition at the Provincial Museum at Halifax.

The figure is in a squatting position, with its hands over its knees, and is not more than a foot tall. According to the superintendent of the museum in Antofagasta, Chill, the Incas possessed a lost art of reducing the size of a body after death. The numerous skeletons found in constructing the railroad, said Taylor, were all about eighteen inches in height and seemed to bear out this theory.

B.C. FISH EXPORT

Trial Shipments of Halibut Being Sent to Britain

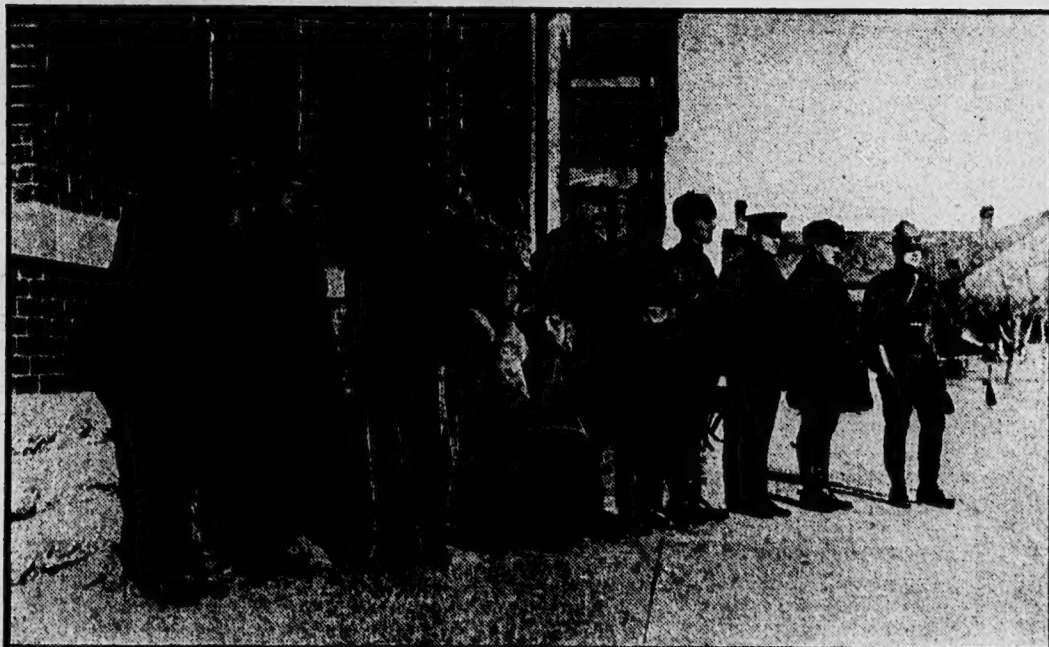
J. E. Ray, Canadian trade commissioner in Birmingham, reports that two months ago successful imports of frozen halibut from British Columbia were made by fish merchants in Grimsby. There is a general impression that trial shipments will be imported by fish merchants in large consuming centres, says Mr. Ray, who adds that several Birmingham firms express a desire to enter a correspondence with reliable exporters in order to make arrangements for next season.

The Real Need

Senator Choquette has a bill in the upper house to make it illegal to publish in newspapers pictures of criminals or suspected criminals. What is really needed is a law to prevent pictures of respectable citizens being printed in such a way as to arouse a desire for murder in the hearts of the victims.—Ottawa Citizens.

Old Fishing Claim

Claims amounting to \$50,000, growing out of the seizure by Canada in 1887 by the seines and seine boats of the Gloucester fishing schooners Argonaut and Jonas H. French, were heard at Washington by the British-American peculiar claims commission. It was charged that the fishermen were working within the three mile limit off the coast of Nova Scotia. In defence, it was claimed the boats and seines had drifted beyond the limit laid down by law.



The Royal North-West Mounted Police From the Prairies to the Arctic Regions. This view, recently taken at Regina Headquarters Barracks, is reproduced herewith for the first time. It shows the Various Uniforms in Use

Financial Statement of the Rural Municipality of Mountain View No. 310

From January 1st, 1913, to December 31st, 1913

RECEIPTS		EXPENDITURES	
Bal. from old L.I.D.	\$ 563.83	Paid on Notes	\$11102.27
Proceeds of notes	8500.00	Interest and exchange	346.53
Municipal taxes	17019.00	Printing, postage, stationery	519.35
School Taxes	13263.66	Salaries	1236.85
Tax certificate fees	7.75	Election expenses	267.20
Destruction Noxious Weeds	6.00	Council fees—meetings	482.80
From other sources	105.78	Council fees—supervision	423.35
		Rents	2.00
		Refunds	10.80
		Destruction of Gophers	316.30
		Labor	10446.91
		Material	3246.86
		Machinery, tools, repairs	582.80
		Purchase of land	50.00
		To school districts	7910.43
		Office furniture, safe	267.50
		Sundries	127.70
OUTSTANDING CHEQUES	555.63	BALANCE ON HAND	2682.00
TOTAL	\$40021.65	TOTAL	\$40021.65
ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Balance on hand	\$ 2682.00	Outstanding cheques	\$ 555.63
Uncollected Mun. Taxes	4271.82	Uncollected school taxes	5067.05
Uncollected school taxes	5067.05	Due school districts	5353.23
Office furniture, safe	267.50		
Tools, Machinery	3000.00	BAL. ASSETS OVER LIABILITIES	4312.46
TOTAL	\$15288.37	TOTAL	\$15288.37

I certify to the correctness of this statement. Dated this twenty-eighth day of February, 1914.

J. E. Stauffer, Sec.-Treas.
T. W. Cuncannon, Auditor

Rural Municipality of Mountain View No. 310

May 2nd, 1914.—Minutes of the meeting of the council of the Rural Municipality of Mountain View No. 310, held at Olds, May 2nd 1914

All the members of the council were present and Reeve Pearson took the chair at 11.30 a.m.

The minutes of the meeting held on March 7th were read.

Moved by Councillor McCuen that the minutes be corrected by inserting the figures "\$100.00" instead of "\$200.00" in the resolution regarding road between Townships 33 and 34 in range 28, west 4th Meridian. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Metz that the minutes be adopted as corrected. Carried.

Moved by Councillor McCuen that an application be made to the railway commission for the opening of the railway crossing west of the N. W. 19, 31, 1, 5, and the closing of the crossing north of the N. E. 24, 31, 2, 5, and assure the commission that the Municipality would compensate Mr. W. Perk for any interest he may have in the road north of the right of way. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Pearson that whereas the Canadian Pacific Railway Company have agreed to grant an open crossing across their right of way west of the S. W. 7, 31, 1, 5, on condition that the council consent to the transfer of the road lying within the limits of the right of way, BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this council recommend to the Department of Public Works for the Province of Alberta that the said road lying within the limits of the right of way be transferred to the said railway.

A petition was read from G. H. Ciperly and others praying for improving of road between sections 5 and 6, and 7 and 8 in 32, 1, 5.

It was moved by Reeve Pearson that Councillors McCuen, Smith and Rupp be a committee to inspect the road between sections 29 and 30, 31 and 32 in 31, 1, 5, and between sections 5 and 6, 7 and 8, in 32, 1, 5 and report at the next meeting. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Metz that Mr. Klein be paid \$100.00 for 2.9 acres for road on S. W. 5, 32, 27, 4, and J. W. Milne be paid \$20.00 for road on the N. W. 34, 31, 27, 4. Carried.

Moved by Mr. McCuen that the Calgary and Edmonton Land Company be garnished for arrears of taxes against section 1, 31, 27, 4. Carried.

Moved by Reeve Pearson that the

1912 taxes with penalties on the N. E. 28, 32, 1, 5 be discharged from the books, the council having been satisfied that the said taxes had been worked out. Carried.

Moved by Reeve Pearson that arrears of taxes and penalties against the C.P.R. for 1913 for \$2.00 on part L. S. D. 3 of S. W. 32, 32, 1, 5, and for \$2.99 against the part N. E. 24, 33, 1, 5, as the same had been wrongfully levied. Carried.

Moved by Reeve Pearson that J. W. Bicknell of Didsbury, be appointed weed inspector for divisions 4, 5 and 6. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Smith that W. F. Moritz of Olds be appointed weed inspector for divisions 1, 2 and 3. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Rupp that weed inspectors be paid \$5.00 per day for each day at the work and each to pay all his personal and travelling expenses, and that their work be performed between the 25th of June and the 25th of July. Carried.

A petition was presented by J. M. Sinouse and others praying for the improvement of the road running north from Hunterville to the Township line between townships 32 and 33.

Moved by Reeve Pearson that the Reeve be authorized to enter into an agreement for the Municipality for the lease of a road across the S. W. of 35 and the N. W. of 26 in 32, 27, 4, with Fred W. Art, for a period of two years, and that the said Art be paid \$1.00 per year in advance for the said lease. Carried.

Councillor Francis was given permission to introduce a by-law, respecting the regulation of engines travelling on the public roads.

Moved by Councillor Francis that by-law No. 3 be read the first and second time. Carried.

Moved by Reeve Pearson that the following accounts be confirmed and paid.

School Fund	\$2200.00
Union Bank, rent	24.00
R. M. Asso. Mbrp, fee	10.00
Postage	30.00
Land Titles Office, fees	34.00
Haag Bros., scrapers	65.00
Merchants Bank, note and interest	2042.25
Wm. Petrie, labor	12.50
John Metzgar, labor	1.00
McKercher Bros., plows and lumber	87.96
P. Lindsay, repairs	3.92
Western Municipal News, stationery and supplies	34.01
Didsbury Pioneer, printing	40.10
W. Rupp, plow	20.00
J. E. Stauffer, exchange, express	7.15

T. E. Smith, supervision and mil.	10.60
W. Rupp, supervision and mil.	9.40
D. McCuen, Sup. Mil., and Conv. Expenses	29.20
W. Rupp, Sup. Mil., and Conv. Expenses	22.95
H. E. Pearson, Convention Expenses	10.00
Geo. Metz, Conv. Expenses	10.00
Gopher Bounty	65.00
McKercher Bros., plow, carried	25.00

The delegates to the annual convention reported verbally.

Moved by Reeve Pearson that the council adjourn to meet at Didsbury on Saturday, June 6th, 1914, and that the Court of Revision on assessments be held at such meeting. Carried.

Residents of Westerdale Municipality

The hail insurance question seems to be misunderstood by some residents of Westerdale Municipality, who think that the insurance is put on automatically as soon as a district becomes a municipality. This is not so. Every municipality Council must pass a hail insurance by-law which has to be voted on by the people before the district can become represented on the Municipal hail insurance board, and Westerdale has so far not followed out this procedure, consequently they will not receive hail insurance from the municipality and it will be wise for them to make some other arrangement.

Highland Items

While Ira Gamble was talking to the carpenter at the new school house, his team, thinking it time to eat, started for home and all that kept them from getting there was the gates. Mr. Gamble is now hunting for the pieces of both harness and wagon.

Mr. Mose Olsen is building a new house on his homestead.

Mr. Olaf Arneson of Highland, has again beat them to it, as he has his crop in.

Mr. Eggan of Highland is building a model log house and is proud of it as he has a right to be, but when one of the homesteaders had a small fire Mr. Eggan ran over to his neighbors to get help as it was in danger of being burned, but as the wind changed the fire turned from his house.

Mr. Rhodes has left for Calgary, where he is going to work this summer.

Mr. Olaf Arneson of Highland has been working land for Mr. A. L. Barlhurst; also his brother Carl.

Mr. Mose Olsen has started a skunk farm and has a fine start now. Good luck to you Mose.

Zella News

The seeding around Zella is nearly finished.

Mr. C. A. Foss has purchased a fine big shire stallion.

Ed. Myers has just finished drilling a well for Mr. Yankee, also one for the Zella school.

C. E. Ruby of Ghost Pine spent Sunday with his parents west of town.

Charlie Rhodes of Sundre is working for Mr. Carver this summer.

The fall rye around Zella is looking fine.

Gale Boughman is preparing to leave for his homestead in the near future.

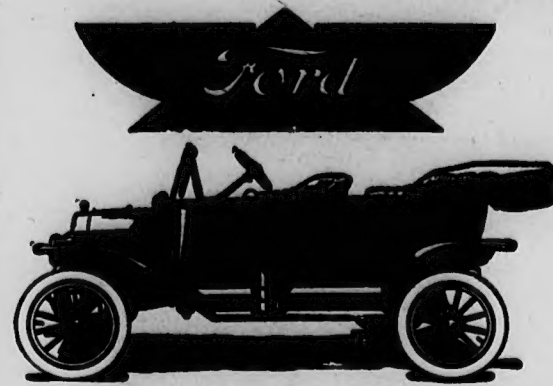
Neal Grant is looking brighter the last few days. There is a reason.

Mr. Hyde is improving the looks of his new barn by giving it a coat of red paint.

Ben Luthehaus and Gale Boughman are breaking at present on Mr. J. A. Ruby's farm.

Gale Boughman was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Gale Swingle on Sunday last.

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NOTICE

Take Notice that Pursuant to the Order of The Honorable Judge Winter dated the eleventh day of March, 1914, the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Didsbury will be held at the School House at the Town of Didsbury on Wednesday the tenth day of June, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

B. A. ST. CLAIR,
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Her Own Statement.

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not be removed as it would cause instant
death. They found that my organs were
affected, and said I could not live more
than six months in the condition I was in.
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"She's afraid he won't be kind to
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"Won't he kind to her? Goodness
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ful monument he put up for his first
wife?"

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To get the genuine call for full name,
LANATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look
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Cures a cold in One Day. 25c.

The Hats Got Mixed

The other afternoon I was in a
gentleman's outfitting shop when a
customer came in to purchase a hat.
He tried on several, and was evident-
ly hard to please, the counter becom-
ing covered with the rejected. At last
the salesman picked up a brown felt
bowler, brushed it round with his arm,
and extended it admiringly.

"Those are being very much worn
this season, sir," he explained.

"Are they?" said the customer
thoughtfully, surveying himself in the
mirror, with his hat on his head. "Do
you think it suits me?"

"Suits you to perfection, sir, if the
fit's all right."

"Yes, it fits very well. So you think
I had better have it?"

"I don't think you could do better,
sir."

"No, I don't think I could, so I
won't have a new one."

The salesman had been praising up
the old hat.—Answers.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns,
etc.

A correspondent from Cheshire,
England, says: "I came upon a small
boy not long ago who was moodily
fishing with an improved rod and hook
in the muddy waters of the canal. I
cannot but believe that he will make a
great fisherman, some day, for he
seemed to have the dogged perseverance
necessary for the craft. But he was
clearly far from happy. He paid
no attention to me at all, but mourn-
fully pursued the matter in hand.
"What are you doing?" I asked him at
last. "Fishing for snigs," he replied in
a lifeless voice. "What are snigs?" I
inquired. "I don't know," he replied,
"I've never caught any yet."

SHILOH

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, and heals
the throat and lungs. 25 cents.

The old man went to the platform
and studied the bulletin board serious-
ly. Then he returned to the window.
"Did you say my train would be long
in ten minutes, suh?" he asked anx-
iously.

"Yes, uncle."

"I jes axed you suh, 'cause I ain't
got my rabbit foot 'bout me, and out
dere board says: 'All trains on time'
cept one and I was jest figuring dat
dat one would be mine."

"All the trains are on time. Some-
one's tampered with the bulletin
board," declared the clerk, and rushed
to the platform.

He stared for a moment at the
board, then at the old negro. Slowly
his face relaxed into a broad grin.
The bulletin read:

"All trains on time—Sept. 1."

An American girl was taking a
Liverpool girl home to the States
with her, and towards the end of the
journey, remarked:

"It is delightful to feel that one is
so near home. We ought to sight
Sandy Hook this afternoon."

"Shall we?" exclaimed her friend.
"That will be nice. Don't tell me
which he is; I can always pick a
Scotsman out of a crowd."

No Rest With Asthma. Asthma
usually attacks at night, the one time
when rest is needed most. Hence the
loss of strength, the nervous debility,
the loss of flesh and other evils; which
must be expected unless relief is secured.
Fortunately relief is possible.
Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy
has proved its merits through years
of service. A trial will surely con-
vince you.

It is well known that in the bed of
the St. Lawrence river, the outlet of
the great lakes, there are in many
places masses of rocks that make it
navigation dangerous, except to re-
liable men whose knowledge of the
safe channels is unquestioned. A pas-
senger on one of its steamers was plying
the captain with questions as to
the safety of the journey, and at
length asked:

"Captain do you know where all
the rocks are in this river?"

In his patient, deliberate manner,
he replied: "No, ma'am. I don't know
where all the rocks are, but I know
where the channel is."—Christian
Herald.

At "Fanny's First Play"

Ho (after second act)—This play
contains a great deal of food for re-
flection.

She—I suppose the reason you are
going out is to get something to wash
it down.

Put Forth the Best

My experience in the varying judg-
ments given about poetry has all con-
verged upon one solitary principle and
the experience of the artist in all ages
is reported by history to be of precise-
ly the same direction. That principle
is, that the artist shall put forth
humbly and lovingly, and without bit-
terness against opposition, the very
best and highest that is within him,
utterly regardless of contemporary
criticism.—Sidney Lanier.

IMPURE BLOOD IN THE SPRING

The Passing of Winter Leaves People
Weak and Depressed

As winter passes away it leaves
many people feeling weak, depressed
and easily tired. The body lacks
that vital force and energy which
pure blood alone can give.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale
People are an all-year-round blood
builder and nerve tonic, but they are
especially useful in the spring. Every
dose helps to make new, rich, red
blood. Returning strength com-
mences with their use and the vigor
and cheerfulness of good health quick-
ly follows.

There is just one cure for lack of
blood and that is more blood. Food
is the material from which blood is
made, but Dr. Williams' Pink Pills
double the value of the food we eat.
They give strength, tone up the
stomach and weak digestion, clear the
complexion of pimples, eruptions and
boils, and drive out rheumatic poi-
sons.

If you are pale and sallow, if you
feel continually tired, out, breathless
after slight exertion, if you have head-
aches, or backaches, if your joints
ache, if your appetite fails and food
does not nourish nor sleep refresh
you, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will
make you well and strong. To build
up the blood is the special purpose
of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and that
is why they are the best spring medi-
cine. If you feel the need of a tonic
at this season give Dr. Williams' Pink
Pills a fair trial and you will rejoice
in new health, new strength and new
energy. Do not let the trying weather
of summer find you weak and ailing.
Build yourself up now with Dr. Wil-
liams' Pink Pills—the pills that
strengthen.

Ask for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills
for Pale People and do not be per-
suaded to take something else. If
your dealer does not keep these Pills
they will be sent by mail, post paid
at 50 cents a box or six boxes for
\$2.50 by writing "The Dr. Williams'
Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A young man happened to be pres-
ent at a party. One of the company
offered him a glass of whiskey. He de-
clined with thanks, saying that he
was a teetotaler. Unfortunately for
himself, he had a very red nose, not
at all like that of one who abstained
from intoxicating liquor.

Immediately on his refusal of the
drink, an old Scotsman, who was a
bit of a wag, stood up, and said:
"Weel, man, ye might tak' doon yor
sign, and let folk ken that ye're tee-
total."

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and I had a bitter taste in my mouth
in the morning. I was often dizzy
and flashes of light floated before my
eyes. My limbs were heavy and I
had a dragging across the loins."

"At last Rheumatism was added to
my troubles and I also suffered from
lumbago, dropsy and gravel. I felt
that my kidneys were the cause of
all my troubles and decided to try
Dodd's Kidney Pills. From almost
the first they did me good, and after
taking twelve boxes I am again a
well woman."

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kidneys. Having learned that, the
rest is easy. Thousands of Cana-
dians will tell you out of their own
experience that Dodd's Kidney Pills
always cure bad kidneys.

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It does not become effective until
July 1st next. The action came as a
surprise to naval officers and officials
of the administration. It was said at
the White House that Mr. Daniels acted
without consulting the president. It
followed the receipt of a report from
Surgeon General Braisted of the navy,
in which the latter condemned the
wine mess aboard warships and re-
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the calendar?

He got 12 months.

In a race with time why should a
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inside it was sore and encrusted. I
had vile dripping from my throat and
was very sick. Relief came quick—
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AROUND THE TOWN

(Continued from page 1)

Rev. C. G. Kaatz, a former minister of the Evangelical church in town, and who is expected to be in Didsbury over Sunday, will in all probability occupy the pulpit of the church on Sunday evening.

Miss Hallett left for her home in New Brunswick on Friday. During her stay in Didsbury, Miss Hallett made for herself many friends who, while sincerely regretting her departure, wish for her a pleasant holiday and the enjoyment of a much needed rest.

Mayor H. B. Atkins, J. E. Stauffer, M.L.A., B. A. St. Clair and H. E. Osmond motored to Carstairs on Tuesday afternoon in Mayor Atkins car to witness the test of Carstairs new fire fighting apparatus. The outfit worked very good, throwing a stream as high as the elevators through 1200 feet of hose, the power being a 50 h. p. gasoline engine. They have a 35,000 gallon reservoir in the center of the town. The whole outfit cost them about \$4,500.

Two Pleasant Gatherings

The monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the Evangelical church was held last week at the home of Mrs. Geo. Liesemer. After the discussion of the missionary subject by Mrs. F. B. Martin and the usual transaction of business; the resignations of Mrs. Daum, the retiring President, and Mrs. Martin, the retiring Vice-President were read, and as a matter of necessity were accepted, after which addresses were read by Mrs. Geo. Liesemer and Mrs. D. Weber, addressed to the retiring president and vice-president respectively bespeaking much of kindness and appreciation on the part of the aid, accompanied by visible tokens of their esteem in the form of beautiful cut glass spoon trays, which were fittingly and feelingly responded to by the retiring officers.

On Monday evening of this week a large gathering of the Evangelical church Y. P. A. and sabbath school astonished Rev. Daum and wife by approaching

their home with singing. The matter was a complete surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Daum. After seats were brought in from the church, and the large congregation were seated, the Rev. S. W. Gamble acting as chairman and Miss Mabel Finkbeiner presiding at the piano, the audience was called to order with a song, followed by a short prayer and an appropriate address by Mr. Gamble, which was followed by an interesting programme.

Mr. Gabel, representing the older portion of the church; Mr. Charles Finley, representing the young people of the whole church by very appropriate addresses.

Then Mr. Wilfred Merner read a most appreciative address and Mr. Harvey Gabel presented to Rev. and Mrs. Daum a purse of gold, as a small token of the appreciation of their faithful services rendered during their three years of ministry among the Didsbury people.

Brother and Sister Daum were overcome with emotion for a time, but rallied and made strong, appreciative addresses.

The whole was interspersed with good music.

The good ladies then served refreshments, after which Miss Mabel Finkbeiner furnished some good music, and the Rev. Gamble favored the gathering with a solo.

Another Revolver Accident

Another shooting accident occurred on Tuesday night when Alf. Jury, who is rooming with D. Mackie at the Royal Bank, was shot in the leg by a revolver. It seems that they were making preparations to retire for the night and Mr. Jury was examining the revolver to see that it was all right while Mr. Mackie was getting the sleeping accommodations ready, when in some way the bed clothing caught the revolver discharging it, with the result that the bullet found its billet in Mr. Jury's leg just below the knee. Dr. Reid was called immediately and he extracted the bullet about ten inches below where it entered. Mr. Jury is getting along all right but the accident will lay him up for a short time.

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Beef, corn fed, dressed	11.00
Veal, dressed	13.00
Hogs, live	6.50
Hogs, dressed	10.00
Bacon, No. 1, smoked	0.21
Hams, No. 1	0.21
Mutton, dressed	0.12
Chickens, spring dressed	0.13
Chickens, live	0.10
Fowl	0.08
Hides, green	0.08
Butter, choice	0.20
Eggs	0.20
Potatoes, bushel	0.45

Badgers Sent to Banff

While Mr. W. G. Liesemer was out on business with his car near Sterlingville on Monday he saw three small furry little animals on the prairie and upon going to investigate found them to be live, fat young badgers. He caught them and brought them into town where they caused quite a commotion amongst the youngsters who saw them. The animal were in excellent condition and Mr. Liesemer has made a present of them to the Banff Zoo, where no doubt they will be an attraction to Banff visitors.

BUSINESS LOCALS

50 A LINE IN ADVANCE IN THIS COLUMN

FOR SALE—A range, nearly new, dishes, crockery, pots, pans, etc. Reasonable for cash. Apply Alf. Smith, pool room.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A 240-egg Cyphers Incubator and Peerless Brooder, in good condition. Apply to T. Peterbridge, Box 211, Didsbury, m20p

WANTED—Stock to pasture. Also mares to pasture and breed to registered Imported Shire Stallion. Good pasture; running water. Phone W. M. Hodson, Westcott.

FOR SALE—Baby carriage, in good shape. Apply at Pioneer Office.

ANOTHER SHIPMENT of \$1.00 Horsehide Gauntlets and Gloves. J. V. Berscht.

SEED POTATOES for sale, 75c per bushel; white and red. A. A. Perrin.

DR. H. JACKSON, DENTIST, formerly of Didsbury will make professional visits to Didsbury every Monday and will be located Room No. 8, Jackson Block.

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